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REQUEST FOR REFUND

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.26(a) Applicants hereby request a refund in the amount of \$300.00 for the publication fee which was inadvertently paid. In response to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due dated September 22, 2005, Applicants forwarded a check in the amount of \$1,718.00 to the US Patent and Trademark Office on October 20, 2005, representing payment of the issue fee, the publication fee, and ten copies of the patent. The subject application was filed prior to the 11/26/2000 institution of the Publication Fee, and the Notice of Allowance did not indicate that the \$300.00 Publication Fee was due. Applicants believe that the publication fee should not have been paid in this case, respectfully request favorable consideration of this matter, and request that a refund of \$300 be made to our Deposit Account No. 08-0750.

Respectfully submitted,

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